

## Clay Board of Equalization Minutes



## COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION PROCEEDINGS

Courthouse, Clay Center, Nebraska, October 11, 2016 at 10:52 A.M.

The Clay County Board of Supervisors acting as the Board of Equalization met October 11, 2016 as per public notice given in the Clay County News, October 5, 2016, a copy of the proof of publication being on file in the County Clerk's Office. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice of the meeting. Todd Nuss, Chairman presided with roll call showing the following present: Samuelson, Anderson, Schmidt, Johnson and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. All of the proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

The advanced notice of this meeting stated that the time of this meeting could change depending on the Board of Supervisors schedule. Due to the adjournment of the Board of Supervisors meeting, this meeting was held ahead of schedule.

It was noted by Chairman Nuss that the open meeting law poster is posted on the west wall.

Motion by Anderson and seconded by Samuelson to approve the minutes of the meeting held August 23, 2016 as mailed. On roll call, yea: Anderson, Schmidt, Johnson, Samuelson and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. Motion carried.

Sharon Lavene, County Treasurer and Deb Karnatz, County Clerk worked together to figure the levies. Robin Gilbert, Deputy County Treasurer also looked over the calculations. The worksheets were given to the board members prior to the meeting. The worksheets were used to figure the levies for Townships, Fire Districts and the Clay County Ag Society. Those overall budget requests are \$89,051.82 less than last year. This year's overall budget requests are \$137,861.49 less than the preliminary tax requests for this year. After discussion, the levies were set as presented.

Motion by Anderson and seconded by Schmidt to set the levies for the Clay County Townships, Fire Districts and the Clay County Ag Society as presented. On roll call, yea: Schmidt, Johnson, Samuelson, Anderson and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. Motion carried.

Townships: **School Creek** 0.004326; **Eldorado** 0.003763; **Harvard** 0.005884 **Leicester** 0.003640; **Inland** 0.006169; **Lynn** 0.003936; **Lewis** 0.005405; **Sutton** 0.005417; **Sheridan** 0.006500; **Marshall** 0.004527; **Lone Tree** 0.002634; **Glenvil** 0.006810; **Spring Ranch** 0.010916; **Fairfield** 0.004473; **Edgar** 0.005233; **Logan** 0.005434.

Fire Districts: **Sutton Rural Fire** General Fund 0.012575; **Harvard Rural Fire** General Fund 0.006220; **Trumbull Rural Fire** General Fund 0.008288, Sinking Fund 0.005391; **Clay Center Rural Fire** General Fund 0.006358, Sinking Fund 0.005070; **Fairfield Rural Fire** General Fund 0.010964, Sinking Fund 0.005199; **Edgar Rural Fire** General Fund 0.008253, Sinking Fund 0.003593.

**Clay County Ag Society**: General Fund 0.001748, Bond Fund 0.000045 and Sinking Fund 0.001028.

Motion by Anderson and seconded by Johnson to adopt the levies for Clay County Political Subdivisions as requested, except for the tax levies set by other counties not yet received. On roll call, yea: Johnson, Samuelson, Anderson, Schmidt and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. Motion carried.



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County Levies: **General/Weed/Road** 0.187495; **Health** 0.005494; and **Road Improvement Bond** 0.029899, **Drug Law Enforcement** 0.000571.

Cities and Villages: *Sutton* General Fund 0.488545, Bond 0.480000, Community Center Fund 0.049999, Community Redevelopment Authority 0.011456; *Harvard* General Fund 0.449996, Bond 0.724712; *Trumbull* General Fund 0. Bond 0.106777; *Saronville* General Fund 0.154775; *Clay Center* General Fund 0.450000 Bond 0.509470; *Glenvil* General Fund 0.382396; *Fairfield* General Fund 0.449998, Bond 0.129038; *Edgar* General Fund 0.328707, Bond 0.171293; *Ong* General Fund 0.171094, Bond 0.597868; *Deweese* General Fund 0.316538.

Schools: **Sutton** General Fund 0.556750, Qualified Capital Purpose 0.009754, Special Building Fund 0.006097; **Harvard** General Fund 0.851157, Special Building Fund 0.012433.

Clay County SIDS #1: General Fund 0.257976

Motion by Samuelson and seconded by Johnson to accept the certified levies that were received from Adams and York counties for Schools, Fire Districts, ESU's and NRD's. On roll call, yea: Samuelson, Anderson, Schmidt, Johnson and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. Motion carried.

Misc. Levies set and certified by others: SCHOOLS: *Adams Central School District #90* General Fund 0.613208, Special Building Fund 0.031558 and Bond Fund .074688.

FIRE DISTRICTS: *Glenvil Rural Fire General Fund* 0.003438 and Sinking Fund 0.002151. *Hastings Rural Fire General Fund* 0.017030 and Sinking Fund 0.005180.

E.S.U.'S: *E.S.U.* #9 General Fund 0.015000.

NRD'S: *Upper Big Blue NRD* General Fund 0.024687; *Little Blue NRD* General Fund 0.017706.

Motion by Samuelson and seconded by Schmidt to adjourn this meeting at 11:00 A.M. On roll call, yea: Anderson, Schmidt, Johnson, Samuelson and Nuss; absent: Fintel and Shaw. Motion carried.

Deborah Karnatz, County Clerk

Todd Nuss, Chairman